

REMARKS

Claims 1-103 are pending in this application. In the Office Action mailed June 4, 2002, the specification was objected to and claims 1-103 were rejected for double patenting over U.S. Patent No. 6,052,654. In response, Applicants have amended the specification as requested by the Examiner, and submit herewith a Terminal Disclaimer to obviate the double patenting rejection.

Reconsideration of claims 1-103 is respectfully requested.

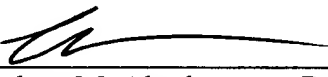
In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, this application should now be in condition for allowance. A notice to this effect is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes, after this amendment, that the application is not in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to call the Applicants' attorney at the telephone number listed below.

If this response is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicants hereby request any necessary extension of time. If there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee that is not covered by an enclosed check, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

Respectfully submitted

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